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THE Malt-Tax in North-Britain commencing on the 23d Inſtant, the Maltſters in and about this City gave ready Admittance to the Officers of Exciſe, to take an Account of the Stock in Hand. But the Officers who were to do the like at Glaſgow, were obliged to ſend Letters the 21ſt to the Commiſſioners of Exciſe here, acquainting them, that ſome of the People of that Town had threatned to ſtone them if they ſhould attempt to viſit the Malt-houſes there. The Commiſſioners hereupon made Application to Major-General Wade Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Forces in this Part of the Kingdom, who on the 23d ſent two Companies to Glaſgow, with [illegible] the Civil Magiſtrates, as alſo the Officers of the Cuſtoms and Exciſe, in the Execution of their Duty, and to protect them from the Inſults of Rioters. The Companies marched with great Expedition, and arrived there the 24th, between Six and Seven in the Evening. At their Entrance into the Town, they found a great Mob conſiſting moſtly of Women and Boys, who gave them abuſive Language, and threw Stones at them as they marched along the Streets, crying out no Malt-Tax. The Officer deſired them to forbear, for he intended them no Harm. He applied himſelf to the Provoſt, who gave him Billets for Quartering his Men, but told him he could not put him into Poſſeſſion of the Guard-Room, becauſe it had been locked up and the Key taken away by the Rabble when they heard the Soldiers were coming thither. The Officer unwilling to exaſperate them by forcing open the Door, ordered the Guard to be kept at a publick Houſe which he hired for that Purpoſe. About Eleven a-Clock that Night ſeveral Thouſands of the Mob got together, and marched towards the Houſe of Mr. Daniel Campbell Repreſentative in Parliament for Glaſgow, threatning to plunder it. Upon which Captain Buſhel who commanded the two Companies, ſent an Officer to the Provoſt, letting him know the Miſchief they deſigned to commit, and that he was ready with his Men to aſſiſt him in preventing it; but his Anſwer was, that he thought the Number of his Soldiers was too ſmall, and therefore he would not make any uſe of them. Thus the Rabble finding no Oppoſition, nor even the Appearance of a Magiſtrate to reſtrain their Fury, with Hatchets and other Inſtruments forced into the Houſe, and turned out two or three of Mr. Campbell's Servants (he with his Wife having the Day before retired to his Country-Houſe) and fell to plundering every thing that they could carry away, and deſtroying what was not portable. This Riot continued till Nine the next Morning, when ſeveral of the Mob were lying drunk in the Houſe, with the Wine and Liquors they found in the Cellars, but the Magiſtrates did not get any of them ſecured. The Officers of the Exciſe during this Time were forced to hide, but ſome of them being diſcovered by the Rioters were beaten ſeverely. It was hoped, that the Rage of the Mob had been ſufficiently gratified in the plundering of Mr. Campbell's Houſe, and till Three or Four in the Afternoon ſo owing the Town in Appearance was very quiet, when the Rioters began to meet again, Women or Men in Women's Cloaths beating Drums about the Streets to call them together. The Captain of the two Companies, not knowing what their Deſigns might be, ordered the Soldiers to be near the Guard-Houſe, which the Provoſt had opened for them in the Morning: But the Mob did not long keep their Secret, for they advanced towards the Guard, ſaying their next Buſineſs was with the Soldiers: They gathered from all Quarters of the Town, began to throw Stones at the Soldiers, crying Drive the Dogs out of Town, we will cut them to Pieces: The Officers told them they did not intend them any Harm, but if they continued to provoke them they ſhould not be able to refrain from firing at them: They anſwered that they durſt not fire with Ball, and continued throwing Stones in ſuch Quantities and ſo large, that they broke ſome of the Locks of their Pieces, and their Bayonets, and wounded ſeveral of the Men: Upon which ſome of the Men were ordered to fire over their Heads, in hopes to terrify them; but they advancing ſtill upon the Soldiers, and throwing Stones in greater Quantities, the Soldiers fired on them and killed or wounded three or four; upon which they retired to ſome Diſtance. In this ſhort Interval, the Provoſt ſent to the Commanding Officer, deſiring him to ſave himſelf and Men by retreating out of the Town, for the Rioters were collecting all the Arms they had, and if he did not ſpeedily march away there would be a great deal more Bloodſhed. The Captain taking his Advice, immediately marched for Dunbarton, being followed by great Numbers of the Mob, and ſo cloſely, that he was forced to fire now and then a Shot to ſecure his Retreat out of the Town. He was followed ſix Miles by 3 or 400 of the Rioters armed, but they durſt not come up with him. Captain Buſhel has ſent an Officer hither, from Dunbarton Caſtle, to give Major-General Wade this Account of what had paſſed; and the Major-General has received the like Account by ſeveral Perſons come from Glaſgow. The ſaid Officer relates further, that they miſs ſix of their Men, and that they left their Baggage (which he ſuppoſes is plundered) in the Town of Glaſgow.

Whitehall,

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Whitehall, July 16.

The following Addreſs from the Council and Aſſembly of South-Carolina has been delivered to his Grace the Duke of Newcaſtle one of His Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, by Francis Young, Eſq; Agent of the ſaid Province, in order to be preſented to His Majeſty.

To the King's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Council and Aſſembly of South Carolina

WE your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects the Council and Aſſembly of this your Majeſty's Province, pray Leave to congratulate your Majeſty upon the happy Situation of your Affairs both at Home and Abroad, and to aſſure you, that with others of your Majeſty's loyal Subjects, we in particular in this your Province, cannot but be ſenſibly touched with the good Effects ariſing from a continued Peace in Europe; and we moſt humbly beg Leave to approach your Sacred Majeſty with our ſincere and hearty Congratulations on the late happy Addition it has pleaſed God to make to your Majeſty's Illuſtrious Family; and if our Joy on this Occaſion could admit of any Abatement, it would ariſe from the Conſideration of the Diſtance we are from your Sacred Perſon, which renders us uncable of performing our Duty to your Majeſty ſo early as thoſe who have the Happineſs to live under your Majeſty's more immediate and auſpicious Influence.

In this Particular only we think ourſelves unfortunate, while we ſhould be wanting in the Duty we owe to the beſt of Kings, did we not acknowledge the many and great Bleſſings we enjoy under your Majeſty's glorious Adminiſtration in common with the reſt of our Fellow-Subjects remote from the Throne.

The many Inſtances we have had of this induce us humbly to hope, that your Majeſty will always lend a favourable Ear to, and take into your Majeſty's Royal Conſideration, ſuch Petitions and Repreſentations from us as are conſiſtent with your Majeſty's great Goodneſs to grant; and ſince the Affairs of his Excellency Francis Nicholſon, Eſq; our Governour, has obliged him to deſire Leave of Abſence from us for ſome Time, which we ardently wiſh may not be long, we cannot but think ourſelves ſtill happy, tho' we are conſtrained to part with a Governour who has nothing more in View than the Publick Good of this your Majeſty's Province, in that he has taken Care ſo diſcreetly, according to your Majeſty's Royal Commiſſion and Inſtructions, to ſupply his Place by the Honourable Arthur Middleton, Eſq; a Gentleman throughly acquainted with the Conſtitution of this Country, and every way elſe fitted for that high and honourable Station.

That your Majeſty may long continue thus a Bleſſing to your Subjects both at Home and Abroad, and at laſt receive an eternal and glorious Reward, are the ſincere Prayers of,

May it pleaſe your Majeſty,

Charles-Town, May 15, 1725.

Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful, Loyal, and Obedient Subjects.

Pyrmont, July 18, N. S. His Majeſty will continue drinking the Waters till the 20th, is to reſt the 21ſt, and on the 22d deſigns to return to Herrenhauſen; where the King of Pruſſia is expected by the 25th.

A Letter ſigned R. R. *dated June the 21ſt* 1725, *and directed to the Right Honourable the Lord Viſcount Townſhend, having been received by his Lordſhip at Hanover; if the Perſon, who wrote the ſaid Letter, will attend either of the Secretaries of the Duke of Newcaſtle His Majeſty's Principal Secretary of State, at his Grace's Office at the Cockpit, and make out what he propoſes, he ſhall receive all fitting Encouragement.*

Whereas for two Years laſt paſt the Garden and Outhouſes of William Hucks, Eſq; in Great Ruſſel-Street in Bloomſbury, have been frequently robbed, great Quantities of Lead carried off, and other Goods taken away, and Damage done to a conſiderable Value, and the like Robberies have alſo been frequently committed in that Neighbourhood: In order to the Diſcovery and bringing to Puniſhment the Perſons concerned in the ſaid Robberies and Treſpaſſes; Their Excellencies the Lords Juſtices are pleaſed to promiſe His Majeſty's moſt Gracious Pardon to any one or two of the Offenders who ſhall Diſcover his or their Accomplices, ſo as one or more of thoſe concerned in the Robberies may be apprehended and brought to Juſtice.

Ch. Delafaye.

And as a further Encouragement for ſuch Diſcovery, the ſaid William Hucks will give to any Perſon or Perſons making the ſame, a Reward of Fifteen Guineas to be paid upon the Conviction of ſuch Offender or Offenders.

Wm. Hucks.

Cuſtom-Houſe, London, July 14, 1725.

Whereas a Letter ſigned A. B. C. D. *dated the 7th Inſtant, has been ſent directed to one of the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, propoſing to prevent Frauds now committed to the Prejudice of His Majeſty's Revenue of Cuſtoms: The Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms do hereby give Notice, That if the Perſon who wrote the ſaid Letter will attend them and make good what he propoſes, he ſhall receive all fitting Encouragement.*

Truſtees Office South-Sea Houſe, July 16, 1725.

The Truſtees for raiſing Money on the Eſtates of the late Directors of the South-Sea Company and others give Notice, That they will inquire into the Claim of Richard Coombes, on the Eſtate of Mr. Robert Knight, late Caſhier of the ſaid Company, at their ſaid Office, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon; and that they will alſo inquire into the Claims of Thomas Pattiſon, on the Eſtates late of Sir Theodore Janſſen, Bart. and Sir John Lambert, Bart. deceaſed, two of the ſaid late Directors, on Wedneſday the 28th Inſtant, at their ſaid Office, at Nine of the Clock in the Forenoon; on which Day Part of the South-Sea Stock and Annuity late of Sir Harcourt Maſters, Knt. will be put up to Sale in the Hall of the South-Sea-Houſe.

Whitehall, Feb. 3, 1724.

Whereas His Majeſty's Exchequer was broke open between Monday Noon and this Morning, and a conſiderable Sum of Money was taken out of the Office of the Right Honourable the Lord William Powlet: This is to give Notice, That if any Perſon concerned in the ſaid Felony, or being any ways privy thereto, by adviſing or contriving the ſame, will ſurrender himſelf and make a free Diſcovery of his Accomplice or Accomplices, ſo as they or any one of them ſhall be apprehended and convicted for the ſame, ſuch Perſon, whether concerned in the ſaid Felony, or in adviſing, contriving or being privy thereto, ſhall have His Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon; and as a further Encouragement ſhall have a Reward of One Thouſand Pounds, to be paid by the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury. And if any other Perſon or Perſons ſhall diſcover, apprehend, and convict any Perſon or Perſons concerned in the ſaid Felony, he or they ſhall receive the like Reward of One Thouſand Pounds, to be paid in like Manner.

TOWNSHEND.

African Houſe, July 8, 1725.

This is to give Notice, That the Royal African Company of England will put up to Sale at their Houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet, on Thurſday the 22d Inſtant, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, the following Goods, viz. Allibannees, Chucklaes, Cberconnaes, Coopees, Chillaes, Cutta-

Cuttanees, Herba Taffaties, Nillaes, Photaes, Romalls Silk, Romalls Cotton, Sooseys, Taffeties plain, Taffeties striped, Allejaes, Brawls, Bombay Stuffs, Bejutapants, Chelloes, Lemanees, Nicanees large, Nicanees small, Negannepants, Tapseils, Printed Callicoes, Arrangoes, Old Sheets, Linnens, Beads, Perpetts, Welch Plains, Cloth, Guns, Tobacco Pipes, and sundry other Goods for Exportation in the Guiney Trade.

Office of Chelsea Water-Works, July 17, 1725.

The Governour and Court of Directors do hereby give Notice to the several Proprietors, That they pay into the said Court of Directors the Sum of 40 s. per Share, on or before Thursday the 26th Day of August next, at their Office near Chelsea; where they will sit every Thursday from Nine a-Clock in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon, to give their Receipts for the same.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
John Armfield, *Secr.*

A Meeting of the Trustees for amending the **Roads** *in the Counties of Surrey and Sussex, is appointed to be held at the Market-House in Ryegate, on Saturday the 24th Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, for nominating and appointing a Receiver or Receivers of the Money borrowed for repairing of the Roads from the Burrough of Woodhatch by Salmon's-Cross, to Sidlow-Mill in the Parish of Ryegate, and Horsehill's-Lane, Bonehurst alias Boners, and Peteridge-Lanes, in the Parish of Horley, in the said County of Surrey; and to chuse Trustees in the Room of some lately deceased and those refusing to act.*

Advertisements.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Osborn, of the City of Norwich, Woolcomber, by Virtue of an Order of the High Court of Chancery, dated the 27th of May last, for the Reasons therein contained, do intend to meet on the 6th of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of John Dunch, commonly called the King's-Head Tavern in Norwich aforesaid; at which Time and Place the Creditors of the said Robert Osborn, are desired to meet to chuse a new Assignee or Assignees (in the Room of the Assignee formerly chosen) in pursuance of the said Order.

TO be Sold to the best Bidder, before the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Gulston, on the 23d Day of July Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, a good, pleasant, and commodious Freehold House standing over-against the Rocks at Tonbridge-Wells, in Kent, commonly called the white fished House, with the Furniture thereof, and convenient Stables and Outhouses, and also six Acres of Freehold Land or thereabouts, lying near the same, being Part of the Estate late of the said William Gulston. Particulars whereof may be had of Mr. William Hancock, Attorney, in Abchurch-Lane, London, or of Mr. John Fuggle, at the said House.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Nickalls, late of Chalfont St. Giles's in the County of Bucks, Dealer in Timber, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 23d and 30th Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 16th of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Cornelius Dutch, Attorney, at Apothecary's-Hall, Black-Fryers, London.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against James Hanley, of the Borrough of Gateshead, in the County of Durham, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, and on the 10th and 16th of August next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Mr. Jasper Harrison, situate on the Sand-Hill in the Town of New-Castle upon Tyne; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Mark Browell, Attorney at Law, in Newcastle.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Burges, late of Portsmouth, in the County of Southampton, Sadler, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 28th Instant, at the white Hart-Inn in Ringwood in the said County, on the 29th Instant, at the Swan-Inn at Fordingbridge in the said County, and on the 16th of August next, at the said Swan-Inn at Fordingbridge, at Three in the Afternoon; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Gwinnett, late of the City of Bristol, Grocer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 26th and 30th Instant, and on the 16th of August next, at Eleven in the Forenoon, at Foster's Coffee House in Bristol; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Newell, late of Ludgate-Street, London, Mercer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 23d and 30th Instant, and on the 16th of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against George Sibley, late of Bow, in the County of Middlesex, Brewer, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, and on 2d of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, and on the 16th of August next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

THE Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Peyrot, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 3d of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Bridge, of St. Botolph's Without Aldgate, London, Cheesemonger, intend to meet on the 10th of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Warden, of the City of Coventry, Chandler, intend to meet on the 9th of August next, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the Rose and Crown-Inn in the City of Coventry aforesaid, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Jeffry Combes, the Younger, of Froome-Sellwood, in the County of Somerset, Chapman, intend to meet on the 30th of July Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Golden-Lyon Inn in Froome, in the County aforesaid, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Henry Lacy, of Froome-Selwood, in the County of Somerset, Salesman, intend to meet on the 30th Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Golden-Lyon Inn in Froome, in the County aforesaid, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHereas Richard Wheeler, of Woollaston, in the County of Worcester, Ironmaster, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 9th of August next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Sign of the Unicorn, in the Parish of Kinfare, and County of Stafford, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas Henry Eliot, of Hounsditch, London, Salesman, hath surrendred himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 2d of August next, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Clegg, of the City of London, Factor, have certified to the Right Honourable Peter Lord King, Baron of Ockham, Lord High Chancellour of Great Britain, that the said John Clegg hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions